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In re Appln. of: Yan Zhou et al.

Appln. No.: 10/652,269

Filed: August 28, 2003

For: Varying Refractive Index Optical Medium  
Using at Least Two Materials with  
Thicknesses Less than a Wavelength

Examiner: Chiem, D. D.

Art Unit: 2883

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Respectfully submitted,

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